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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Keishi OSAWA, et al.	:	Examiner: Sandra L. Brase
Appln. No.: 10/073,395)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2852
Filed: February 12, 2002)	
	:	Allowed: October 17, 2003
For: DEVELOPING APPARATUS)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 5381
	:	December 19, 2003

Mail Stop Issue Fee

Commissioner for Patents
Post Office Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED SHEETS OF THE DRAWINGS

Sir:

Applicants are in receipt of a Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee(s) Due form dated October 17, 2003 in the above-identified application. The combined Issue Fee and Publication Fee are due on January 18, 2004, and has not yet been paid.

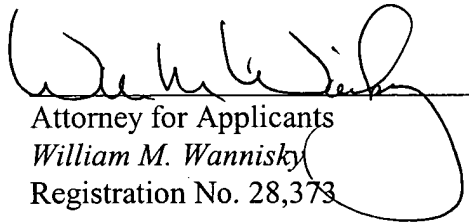
Enclosed are four (4) sheets of formal drawings to be substituted for the corresponding drawing sheets presently on file in the application.

The substitute drawing sheets incorporate the amendments set forth in the Request for Approval to Amend the Drawings, dated July 21, 2003.

Favorable consideration hereof is earnestly solicited.

Applicants' undersigned attorney can be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below shown New York address.

Respectfully submitted,



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